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—The Argentine chamber of deputies has altered Art, 286 of the Commercial Code, to read as follows: — a The companies formed inforeign contaries to carry on their principal business in the republic, with the greater portion of their capital raised in the country, or who have their central board of directors and meetings of shareholders in the country, shall be considered for all effects and purposes as national companies, subject to the dispositions of the code.

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—According to reports published in Salta there is a prospect of the revival of cattle trade with Bollvia. The executive of that country has sent in message to the legislature advising a reduction of the taxes on Argentine cattle. Those taxes had become so exhoritant, that it no longer paid to send cattle to Bolivia to be solid and the trade practically died out. If the legislature of Bolivia approves the bill it will put some life into the present stagmant business of the north.—Times, Buenos Aires.—The exports of cereals from Cragnay in

business of the north.—Times, Buenos Aires.
—The exports of cereals from Uruguay in 1896, as compared with 1895, were as follows:

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peed proved, it is proposed to take proceedings against Antonio Campos for manslaughtee.

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—A good many are inclined to think that the good people who run the anti-gambling organization in England, are just a little given to essaggeration, are cranks, let us say. But if people have become cranky through seeing the ill effects of gambling in England, we wonder to what stage of imberility they would be reduced by a visit to this country. The lottery business was at one time actually suppressed. Now it has been reintroduced in the sacred conse of charity; and every second shop sells lottery tickets. There annot be something in the bisiness for the shopkeeper, or else there would not be so many engaged in it. Yet it seems almost impossible to believe that so many as would appear earn diveng in this way. The itine and they have been something in the processing of downright, sering into the processing of thowards and the substant because the precision of downright, seringhtforward, unabult-exated gambling, it is high-wonder that the middler forus which in England are all that can be permitted should not flourish here. Yet the antonutine machines, in which the olds are so facefully against anyone who parts with a nicket, appear to be gaming customers.

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—In our «Reboesa will be found a translation of the remarks of our finance uninster, Dr. Recdoate, upon the reasons which have impelled the government to asis the enstoms dues on keroscae and yellow pine, the two articles which we inport in the largest quantities from the United States. The minister says, in effect, that became the legislature of the United States has imposed heavy dines upon woul and hides, thus impelling our exports to that constry, therefore the Argentine government is called upon to readiate by raising the dues upon kerosche and Immber, and this policy is apparent and Immber, and this policy is apparent and Immber, and this policy is operated and Immber, and this policy is operated and Immber, and this policy is operated and Immber, and this policy is apparent and Immber, and this policy is operated and Immber, and this policy is operated and Immber, and this policy is operated and in the analysis of the dides imposed by United States upon our wool and hides will be to make these articles more expensive to the manufacturer and consumer in the United States, without in any way affecting the producer or exporter in Argentina. The Crited States needs nor wool and hides and lay of the Crited States in the consumer will have to bey them, and the board way affecting the producer or exporter in Argentina. The Crited States in the matter, If the U. S. government chooses to make Argentine wool and hides solder in the United States, that the nannafacturer cannot export the manufactured products of these articles and the local and hides solder in the United States, that the nannafacturer cannot export the manufactured products of these articles and the local and hides solder in the United States, that the nannafacturer cannot export the manufactured products of these articles and the local and hides object in the United States.

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Gathering in the rose crop in south-east Europe is now in progress, and in the regions where roses are grown as a commercial product the rose harvest is as much of an event as the strawberry erop in some parts of the United States. It is estimated that, from the middle of of May until the middle of July, over three-quarters of a million of people, mostly women and girls, are employed

three-quarters of a million of people, mostly women and girls, are employed in gathering the roses.

The fair lady to whom the essence or attar of roses is only a delightful perfume, has little idea of the labor necessary, to produce it of its importance. fume, has little idea of the labor necessary to produce it, of its importance to the country where it is made, or of the races of people who, through its production, contribute to her pleasure. It is, however, but one illustration of the fact that no part of the world's inhabitants is independent of the rest. Just as thousands of men and women in Sumatra and Borneo, in Ceylon and Just as thousands of men and women in Sumatra and Borneo, in Ceylon and India, find the means of subsistence from the taste of the civilized races for pepper, so men and women earn bread in Asia and Africa because in France, Fundand and America fashionable reco England and America fashionable peo-ple have a taste for a rich perfume.

As a commercial product the rose is grown in many parts of the world. Not only in the neighborhood of Paris. Not only in the neighborhood of Paris, but more extensively in the south of France, roses are cultivated for the purpose of manufacturing the attar, and over 30,000,000 pounds of rose leaves are annually collected by the French for the purpose of making rose water or the attar of rose.

The valley of Damascus yields a fine quality of attar, and the vale of Cash-

The valley of Damascus yields a fine quality of attar, and the vale of Cashnuce has for ages been famous, not only for its roses, but also for the quality of its product. In northern and central India rose water and attar are manufactured. At Ghazipur, near Benares, there are miles upon miles of rose gardens, really fields, in which the rose is cultivated for the flowers. In Italy and Sicily rose culture is practiced for the sake of the product, and during the last twenty-five or thirty years the attar or essence of the rose has become one of the most important commercial resources of Bulgaria.

commercial resources of Bulgaria.

The rose fields of Roumania are found on the southern slopes of the Balkans and the plains which descend to the River Maritza. There is a distributed from the southern slope of the Balkans and the plains which descend to the River Maritza. to the River Maritza. There is a district in Ronmania over 120 miles long by 40 in width, which, by climate and soil, is singularly well adapted to the production of the rose, and almost the whole of this region is given up to rose factor.

fields.

The roses are known to botanists as the Rosa Maschita, a red rose, and are propagated by layering the shoots, the layers being placed in rows about six feet apart. In three years the plants are in full bearing, and continue at their best for five years longer, when the quality and the quantity of the product begin to deteriorate, the plants are roooted up and others set out in their stead. A rose grower so manages his planting that fresh supplies of pluts are continually coming on, consequently no portion of his ground goes to waste. to waste

The harvest lasts about eight weeks, and during this time any one who can pick roses can find a job in the southern Balkans. Coming from all directions, the pickers, of course, represent types of half a dozen races.

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types of half a dozen races.
Every picker is equipped with a basket holding about two bushels, for rose leaves are light, and there is a considerable difference in weight between two bushels of rose leaves and two bushels of potatoes. When the baskets are full they are emptied into sacks, and as soon as possible these are transported to the houses, and there converted into bushels of rose leaves and two bushels of potatoes. When the baskets are full they are empticed into sacks, and as soon as possible these are transported to the houses, and there converted into essence. Picking begins at early dawn, when the dew is on the leaves, and is continued until 10 or 110 clock, or during cloudy days all day long. When the sun is shining brightly labor is discontinued toward noon, and recommenced at 4 or 5, and then work is carried on as long as the pickers can see. Labor is paid for by the pound,

and tally men are in attendance to weigh the bags, which are placed at the end of the rows, and when weighed and recorded donkey power is used to

and recorded donkey power is used to convey them to the central stations. The factories where the attar of roses is made are primitive, but quite sufficient for all practical purposes. They are mere sheds; sometimes the walls are of brick, more frequently of stone, occasionally of plank. On one side stand the retorts in rows, copper alembics about three feet in height, with a brick furnace underneath. Each alembic has a capacity of 110 litres, a litre being furnace underneath. Each alembic has a capacity of 110 litres, a litre being about a standard quart, but for a charge only 75 litres of water are used and 10 kilos of roses, a kilogram being 2.2 pounds, or about 75 quarts of water to 22 pounds of rose leaves. The process of distillation is carried on for an hour, when the flask which is used to receive the distilled product contains 10 litres of oil and condensed water; it is removed, the alembic is recharged, and the process begun anew, while the flask with the product is set aside; the attar of rose, or oil, which floats upon the surface is subsequently taken off by cooling and condensation.

The quality of the product as propor-

cooling and condensation.

The quality of the product as proportioned to the amount of rose leaves used, varies considerably. Some kinds of roses produce the attar in much greater abundance than others, the product also varying in different countries, and it has been found by experience that the season has much to do with the quantity of attar; a humid spring, with intervals of warm sunshine, causing the petals to yield more liberally than is the case in a dry, hot season.

season.

In Bulgaria 3,000 kilos of rose leaves produce one kilogram of the attar, and this is the yield of about one hectare, or 2½ acres. A kilogram of attar is worth from 800 to 1,200 francs, say, an average of 1,000, and thus the Bulgarian realizes about \$100 an acre on his crop, a very fair return for the amount invested and the outlay. In France the production is about the same, or 3,000 pounds of rose leaves to a pound of attar, and it is computed that the leaves tar, and it is computed that the leaves of 400,000 roses are necessary to produce of 400,000 roses are necessary to produce one onnee of the oil. In Algeria the roses are much less productive, but in Cashuare and at Ghazipur it is estimated that from 1,500 to 2,000 pounds of petals produce one pound of the essence. Only the red rose is used for manufacturing the essence, the white or yellow varieties, while fragrant to the nostrils, appearing to lack the essential oil which forms so valuable a product. product.

It is not generally known that the It is not generally known that the attar, or ofto of rose, as it is sometimes called, is one of the most valuable and costly substances in the world. An onnee of the pure attar is worth from \$100 to \$150, and when it is remembered that the market price of gold is only about \$20 an onnee, some idea of the value of this marvelous oil may be gained.

may be gained.

A few years ago some dredgers off Coney Island brought up from the depths of the sea a box, and, opening it, ascertained that it contained nearly the conceiner with a transfer the season. it, ascertained that it contained nearly 100 omice vials of attar of roses. It was remembered that fifty or sixty years before an East Indiaman had been wrecked near the point where the box was found, and the box had nudoubtedly formed a part of the cargo. The oil was minipured by its long submersion in sea water, and the dredgers realized a fortune from a box. Ittle more than fourteen inches square. The value of the annual yield of the Balkan rose district alone is about \$400,000 worth of attar.

employed by dishonest dealers as adulterations, and fine olive oil, with a few drops of the attar of rose, is sometimes sold for the pure article.

The genuine oil is so exceedingly powerful that when used to perfume hair oil, for example, one drop is said to be sufficient to impart its character-istic odor to a pint. The romance of istic odor to a pint. The foliance of the rose does not extend to the attar. Much hard labor is necessary to collect the fragrant essence from the fragrant leaf, and no matter from what point of view it is contemplated, there is nothing romantic about work.

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A novel undertaking had a highly A novel uncertaking had a nighty successful result on the recent outward voyage of the P. S. N. Co's steamer Orcana—being nothing less than the publication on board of a small newspaper. The steamer carries a printer, with a small press and outflief type, etc., with a small press and outfit of type, etc., which are employed in the printing of the menus. As it is customary to organize sports, a tournament and concert on the long run between Lisbon and Pernambuco, it was decided to add the publication of a newspaper during this voyage. The passengers responded enthusiastically, and the result was more copy than was required. The paper was called The Oranite, dated the 1rth inst., and comprised six pages of brevier, note size, of editorial and local comment—the personal element prevailcomment—the personal element prevailing. The paper contained an account of the 7th of September celebration onment—the personal p was as follows:

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EDITORIAL

We regret to advise our readers, whose name is legion, that the publication of the Orasite will be suspended for a brief interval. This step is taken, not on account of a breakdown in our press, or a dearth of news, or failure on the part of our subscribers to pay their subscriptions; it is simply and solely a measure of reasonable precaution. Discretion is said to be the better part of valour—and for such bravery we have established a long and brilliant reputation.

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COUNCILLOR Lourenço de Albuquerque certainly deserves the thanks of the over-burdened tax-payers for hav-ing caused to be published in a journal of this city a statement, said to have been prepared by a competent person, showing how the *personnel* employed in various branches of the public service has increased in number and cost since 1890. There has been in seven years an increase of nearly 40 %, in the number of persons employed in the branches of the public service included in this statement, although, rightly, there should have been, instead, a considerable de-crease, since a great part of the respective service should have been transferred to state and municipal governments.

The increase in salaries and wages was state and municipal governments. The increase in salaries and wages was still greater. In 1890 the respective personnel cost the country 39,383,014\$-189, and in 1897 no less than 107,719,-305\$966, the increase being 68,336,-291\$777, or over 170 %. The cost of the personnel in the war department increased from 12,000,000\$ to 57,000,000\$, or 375 %. It is to be hoped that this statement, whose publication is unquestionably a step in the right direction, will be followed by others of a like character resulting from nseful investigations that throw much light on investigations that throw much light on the nature of the financial problem and show where the work of solving it should commence. We give the table in another column.

THE discussion over the defective transway service in this city seems to us to be devoid of that spirit of fairness which ought to govern the decision of which ought to govern the decision of every question relating to a public ser-vice. There can be no disputing the fact that the trannway service has be-come very defective, and that the public is being very hally treated. As far as our personal experience goes, we find that the lines are not well maintained, the tran-cars are insufficient in number and are dirty and in bad condition, and the service is irregular. A considerable percentage of the passengers is unable to find seats, and is therefore obliged to ride on the platforms or hanging on at the sides. And as for the time lost in waiting for a seat, it is simply incalculable. All this is certainly reprehensible, and the public is entitled to complain. If the streets are to be occupied by a private company for purposes of private gain, then the people have a perfect right to exact a good service for the franchise given. But there is another side to the dispute which we ought not ignore—the right of the companies to a fair compensation the tram-cars are insufficient in number which we ought not ignore—the right of the companies to a fair compensation for the service rendered. Now, are they receiving a fair compensation? We think not. The fares in force were fixed many years ago when the cur-rency was at or near par. To-day this currency is worth less than one-third its par value, which means that the com-panies are receiving less than one third the income they counted upon. As their rolling stock, machinery and hay is imported and paid for with gold, it is imported and paid for with gold, it is evident that they are working at a very great disadvantage. Calculated in gold, they are carrying passengers at an unprecedentedly low rate, so low in fact that it is practically impossible for them to keep their lines and service in good order and pay dividends. We do not believe that the public wants these companies to perform a gratuitous service; they are entitled to dividends, and the people do not becrudge them. and the people do not begrudge them. In view of this, the fair settlement of the dispute is to permit an increase of fares, and then to insist ou a good service.

The present situation in Brazil is unquestionably one of great difficulty and danger, and to meet it heroic rem-edies are undoubtedly necessary. But the cure will be effected, not by the cure will be effected, not by exhausting the patient, but by building up his strength. To continue exhausting expenditures and then to tax the country still more heavily to meet them, is a sure way to bring about the ruin which everybody is trying to avoid. The intention of Deputy Serzedello may be thoroughly good and patriotic, but in the bill which he has just hid before congress, his judgment is cerbut in the bill which he has just lad before congress his judgment is cer-tainly at fault. He wishes to improve the financial situation, but to do this he proposes to complicate it still further, to force another readjustment of the debt at a lower rate of interest, to further legalize lottery drawings by making them sources of regent to the making them sources of revenue to the state, and to hoodwink the public by state, and to hoodwink the public by setting apart various innectain sources of income for paying off national obligations. We have hitherto entertained hopes that Deputy Serzedello's experiences with despotic methods of government would render him more conservative in the future. But in this we were mistaken. Although he has himself held the portfolio of finance, he has nothing better to offer us than a measure increasing the burdens of taxation in a country where they are already tion in a country where they are already excessive. To the common mind, the true premedy for the present situation is that of severe retrenchment. The counthat of severe retrenchment. The country is spending far more than its income, and many of the expenditures are wholly unnecessary as well as non-reproductive. The true course would be to abolish every one of these expenditures, and thus bring expenses within the national income, without adding a vintem to existing taxation. This would be true statesmanship as well as true economy, for it would be meeting public obligations without

exhausting the capital of the nation, Deputy Serzedello does not see this apparently, for he would go on piling up taxation, and thus exhausting the people, merely to cover worse than useless expenditures. There is no sense in such a policy, nor even patriotism.

CAVIAR IN BRAZIL.

The savoury and piquant taste of caviar, as well as its suitability for use as hors d'œuver, as well as its suitability for use as hors d'œuver, sandwiches, amil for various culinary preparations, is one of the most appreciated preserves among gournnets. Thus writes the French among gournets. Thus writes the French consulat São Paulo, who goes on to say that there should be a considerable outlet for it in his town, where a fortunes are so numerous, and where there is a tendency, as much among foreigners as among Brazilians, to seek out all the refinements of the European enisine. Unfortunately, the caviar outlet is forcibly restrained, in consequence of the excessive price at which the article is retailed.... The locally consumed caviar is derived almost exclusively from British or German houses. True Russian caviar is easily told by the su-periority of its quality, the delicacy and freshness of the 'grain,' which is very loose, while British or German caviars are only a species of pulp (bouillie) which has lost nearly all its aroma, a The consul attributes the scarcity of the true Russian article to the fact that Russia has no direct trade relations with Brazil, and that sit is by way of Hamburg or London that Russian caviars are sent, and they are stripped of their original marks and supplied with new British or German labels. the consul's opinion, if the intermediary of the Britisher and the Teuton could be die pensed with, there would be a great reduction in the retail price of caviar and a considerable increase in its consumption in Brazil, - Cham-ber of Commerce Journ et, for August,

RICYCLE RIDING

A long discussion has been going on at the Hospital Medical Society (Paris) as to the be-nefit or harm to be derived from riding the bicycle, and the debate was all the more teresting from the fact that most of members taking part in it themselves had experience of the median in question. M. Petit reported a series of accidents, and cited five recent cases of death occurring in persons ither actually riding or who had just left off. He combided that persons suffering from cardiac affections aught either to abstain from bicycling altogether or at any rate only do so with the most extreme moderation. Phthisical people should for the most part abstain altogether; but, on the other hand, those predis-posed to tubercle have in many instances derived great benefit, as have still more those suffering from certain nervous affections, nenrasthenia, chlorosis, and constipation. Fin-ally, M. Petit reminded the meeting that various affections of the joints and of the genito-urinary organs in both sexes, incom-pletely or only recently cured, had been revived or aggravated by the bicycle. M. Hal-lopeau, replying to M. Petit, said that the bicycle, which was not a physiological method of progression, offered, like all forms of athle-ties, both advantages and disadvantages. These latter were specially marked in cardiac subjects in whom cardiac failure supervened. In certain subjects even, when free from car diac disease, riding provoked painful sensa-tions connected with the heart. He considered it prudent to avoid riding against head winds or up steep hills, and by taking this precaution many grave actions would be avoided. Some people experienced numbress in the great toes during a prolonged ride, a phenomenon which M. Hallopeau attributed to the pressure of the saddle on the sciatic nerves.—I. ancel.

Provincial Notes

- -On the 8th inst, there were 24 new cases small-pox at Monte Santo.
- -Two of the best plantations in the mun-icipality of Amparo, S. Paulo, were sold last week to satisfy maturing mortgages.
- -There is said to be much discontent among the officers in Bahia on account of the delay of the war department in making promotions.
- —The 5th, 6th, 12th, 15th, 25th and 3rd buttalions of infantry have been almost anni-hilated in the war in Bolita. The 9th and 12th buttalions are now communded by literants and two of the companies are commanded by sergeous One of the battalions has only about 20 men left.

- —The Diario, of Bahia, says that according to a letter from Monte Sauto, there have been only for illenten in Canados since the 13th, The women and children are starving. The information is from prisoners.
- —There was a revolt among the Spanish colonists on the estate of Dr. Mornes Barros, near Finedenba, on the 16th, which resulted in an attack on the second overseer. A police force was sent for and some arrests were made.
- —It is stated that the fanatics in Bahia, while engaged in military operations, do not neglect their agricultural work. They are said to be divided into detachments who regularly relieve each other in both occupations.
- An area of the experiment of the 27th autonuces that the coasting steamer Oceano had grounded on the Estancia bar. It is expected that it will be impossible to save the vessel. She is bringing a cargo of sugar to this port.
- —Mail advices from Amazonas state that small-pox is steadily increasing at Mandos and throughout the state. It is singular that Brazilian unmeipad and smitary officials are never able to do their work properly and thus ward off these periodical epidemics.
- —The trouble in S. Carlos do Pinhal, São Pinhol, seems to have arisen from an attempt on the part of Dr. Rodolpho Faria to suppress, gambling in that town. The parties interested are resisting, have made public demonstrations, and have even threatened Faria's life.
- -A São Paulo exchange of the 21st notes the death of a celebrated bandit named Chico the death of a cerebrater banan fanned Chico Pitangaciasa in the commara of Barretos, who was the author of several nurders and a terror in that region. He had been cornered by a police force and was summoned to surrender. He refused and was accordingly shot.
- -The minister of war telegraphs that Gen Arthur Oscar has completed the investment of Canubis. The minister has ordered the troops under the command of Gen. Carlos Engenie to hasten to Canubos for the purpose of strengthening the lness of the besieging army. He says that there is reason to believe that the war is nearly ended.
- -The chief of police of the state of Minas Geraes is said to have received information of serious disturbances that occurred in Bamof serious distinguires that occurred in Ban-huly on the 7th inst. Full particulars are not given, but it is stated that there were should of affurch for monarchy, and shown with the republic b. The court, which was sitting there at the time, is reported to have adjourned. A large detachment of police has been sent by the chief to Banubuly.
- -A S. Paulo telegram of the 25th inst. states —A.S. Faulo telegram of the 25th inst, states that at Uberabinal there were arrested some days ago two men accused of passing counterfeit mets. In their possession were found 28 counterfeit notes of 100%. It is also stated that 188 of such notes were found in the possession of two men arrested at Santa Rita in Paraiso and that two were estable on the 22md inst, at the Porto Alegre custom-house, at which they had been offered in payment of dulies.
- -The Estrella Polar, a Roman Catholic organ published at Pedreira, São Paulo, notes the revolt of a priest in the Ceará sertão against ecclesiastical authority, and that he against ecclesiastical authority, and that he has now removed to Salgueiro, in the Pernambneo sertad, where he lens gathered about him a group of faintites. This priest, Fadre Cheros Romano Baptista, claims intiractious powers for a woman mamed Maria de Aranjo, and the fies the bishop and others who seek to hispel his illusions. His followers are now proclaiming him a sint, and are prepared to resist any interference with him.

THE SANTOS REGATTA.

On Saturday, 19th inst., the newly reor ganised aclub de Regatas Santista realize their first regata at the Ponta de Praia, before a large and enthusiastic number of spectators.

The weather, despite a trifle too unich wind, was favorable and the races were well contested.

contested.

The medals were presented to the winners by a committee of well known Sintos Ludies and the proceedings were enlivened by the bands «Colonial Postungueza» and «Lyra Commercial» who kindly volunteered their ser-

The following are the results :

Ist nuce: — Skiffs; 4 oars; »Nautilus», Fer-reira (cox), Netto (stroke), Andrade, Walny, Malheiros.

and nuc; — Gigs; 6 oars; *Ondina*, Beyrodt (cox), Truss (stroke), Costa, Paterson, Wucherer, Scott Barboa, Ornellas, 3rd rac;— Canoes; 4 oars (professional); 1st crew from Ubathba;

2nd crew from São Sebastião.

4th rare: — Pleasure boats; 4 oars (professional);

1st, «Salier» Viegas (cox).

st, "Saliers Vigas (cov).

5th race: — Skills; 4 oars.

A foul occurred shortly after the start and
the race was in consequence declared void.

6th race: — Gigs; 6 oars; 'Bella-rowed over;
Pluto (cov), Cardini (stroke), Ventura, Walny,
Bacellar, Hallais, Canara.

Another regatta has been announced for the 15th of November.

—A telegram of the 21st inst, to the Republica, of Porto Alegre, says that at that disk plab Francisco's press gaugs were still at work at Alegrete.

- —A Juiz de Fóra telegram of the 23rd says that a brute called Procopia Fructuoso Lopes had been found guilty of violating a child only eight months of age.
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 -One of the war correspondents in Bahia says that it will take 25,000 men to complete the stege of Coundos and that, if the place is stormed, the losses of the government troops are sure to be very heavy.

RAILROAD NOTES

—The contract for the lease of the Sobial (Ceará) milway to Srs. Sabaia was signed on the 25th inst.

—It is stated that employees of the Oeste de Mims railway at Oliveira have not been paid for 11 months.

-Last mouth the Brazilian Coal Co. furnished to the Rio do Ouro milway 500 tims of coal valued at 20,254\$945.

-The state government of S. Panlo has approved the surveys an the Mogyana Co.'s branch line from Ribeirão Preto to Sertão-zinho.

—The Mogyana company is soon to begin the construction of its branch line from Re-beirão Preto to Sertauzunho, which will piss through a very fertile zone.

—The state of Minrs Certaes has conceded in interest guarantee on the railway west of S. Francisco to Barra, de Jaromacha, and has extended the time fixed for the completion of the Pitanguy branch.

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— The car building from of Jockson & Strop Company, of Wilamington, D 4, mas. — yeld a contract from the Argentine Green Western Radway Company, Lumirel, of Buenos Ares, for the construction of five his of Ses skeping cars. The cars will be boilt partle on the rullman and partly on the Maint system and will be 54 feet long, to feet 3 inches who and arranged for a 5-toot ratch groups. John D Smelt, an engineer of the reliavity company, has been in Wilmungton sage rathenium, the drawing of the pleas.— X. Y. Joannal of Commerce, Aug. 44.

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LOCAL NOTES

- -The ironclad chquidaban arrived at New-castle on the 25th inst.
- -The rains last week caused the collapse of several walls and houses.
- —An agricultural exposition is now open on the granuds of the Turf-Club.
- "The President has written to the President of Urnguay congratulating him on the conclusion of peace."
- —D: Passos found it necessary, on taking charge of the Central railway, to dismiss 500 memployed men.
- -The pavements in this city seem to be growing worse and worse. Is it an indication of incurreity, or sheer neglect?
- -On the 23rd the senate formally recognized Cut, Josephin Rezende Corréa de Lacerda as senator (com the state of Paraná.
- -There has been a theft of mirrors and furniture from tomority palace, and an in-quiry is now going on in regard to the matter.
- It is reported that Col. Lamas, one of the revolutionary chiefs in Uruguay, is to marry a daughter of Gen. Roca, cambidate for the Argentine presidency.
- —The British ermser Leander, from Chatham, arrived here on the 1st en route for the W st Cost. The Leander is convoying the torpedo-catcher Frago.
- The use of the sidewalks by bicyclists in some pers of the city is becoming a nuisance. Surely the footman must have some rights which the world is bound to observe.
- ---Clycerio in congress wishes P adente to comply's his term of once; but Glycerio in the Republica wishes the President to quit office immediately. What is Pradente to do?

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- A destructive free broke out in the a High-Life billiard schoon, No. 35 Rua do Theatro, on the monaing of the 28th inst., completely distroying that huldling (formerly known as the Theatro S. Luiz) and two contiguous the Themra S. Luiz) and two contiguous buildings, 146 A and 146 B, in Rua Sete de

-The delegates to the convention of the The delegates to the convention of the prudentists party held their first meeting on Saturday. The only action taken at this meeting was to elect a committee of three to report on the credentials of the delegates. When the report is ready another meeting will be called. The needing on Saturday was attended by 37 delegates.

-We are advised that the banquet on the 18th in honor of the 25th anniversary of King 18th in honor of the 25th anniversary of King Oscar's coronation, was not attended by the Norwegians resident here. The anniversary of King Oscar's coronation in Norway occurred on the 26th, on which day the shipmasters in port decorated their ships and gave a banquet. It is not generally understood that there were two dates for this event, hence the error of stating that the Norwegians participated in the banquet of the 18th, which was a Swedish anniversary.

—It isto be honed that the violence with

-It is to be hoped that the violence with which Senator Gomes de Castro has been assailed will not deter him from continuing assailed will not deter him from continuing to expose the wretched state of military affairs in Brazil. A large, costly, undisciplined and inefficent army is a grievous burden to the tax-payers and a disturbing factor in the financial and political situation. Of course there are persons interested in opposing the reduction and reorganization of the army; but for the sake of the general welfare their influence, we trust, will not be allowed to prevail.

CRICKET.

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This match took place at Paysandi ground on the 19th inst, and ended in a win for the latter team by 55 runs. For the winners E. Morrissy, who quite mastered the club's bowling, played a faultless innings for his 29 not out, Brooking and Conolly also playing in the their usual form. For the club, Wheatley, Mawson and Skey were most conspicious, the former punishing the ball well for lis its and the two latter playing a very steady innings. Whelerer who was in fine bowling form, took 8 wickets for 18 runs.

Score as follows:

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O. Wucherer, b, do	3
H. L. Wheatley, b. R. Morrissy	18
L. Moura, b. W. Morrissy	3
J. B. Mawson, ct. and bd. R. A. Brooking.	12
A. C. Skey (cap.), b. W. Morrissy	14
A. Smythe, b. do	5
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R. A. Brooking (cap.) ct. Reeves do	21
C. H. T. Allen, ct. Mawson do	7
E. Morrissy, not out	29
C. Roberts, ct. Moura, b. Wucherer	I
M. Morrissy. b. do	D
H. P. Smith, ct. Reeves, do	19
E. A. Carré, b. do	2
A. C. Blake, ct. Reeves, do	0
Extras	12
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Total,	129

Business Notes

-The government of Paraguay has denounced its commercial treaty with Brazil.

-The directors of the British Bank of South America have declared a dividend on account of the current year of 3 per cent.

-The municipality of Santos has had the unoccupied ground belonging to the Carmo monastery disappropriated for public uses, it having been decided to erect a public market

-We are again approaching the hot season, —we are again approaching the not season, when precautions are necessary to avoid fevers. Our readers should remember that Murray's fluid magnesia is now manufactured in the country hence there is no need of buying imitations.

-Arrangements have been finally completed for the introduction of Japanese colonists into the state of São Paulo. The firm of Fiorita & Co., which has been so long eugaged in the transportation of Italian laborers, has undertaken to bring them out.

reports transactions for the year ended on the y -The president of the Banco do Commercio

—The August exports of rubber from the Amazon amounted to 1,008,458 kilogrammes, of which 636,258 were for the United States and 372,200 for Europe.

- « What is needed in Brazil, you know, is a good journal that will contradict these croakers who are always asserting that the country is not prosperons. — «Why don't you establish such a journal? «— "Well, you set the times are so hard that I can't get the money, a

The importers of electric supplies have addressed a memorandum to the tariff con addressed a memoration to the tariit co-mission asking that articles belonging to the class of merchandise shall be properly classified at the custom-house. The almost pro-bitive duties collected under the present classification are, they say, formidable obstac-to extending the use of electricity in Brazil.

-We have been favored with a call from Mr. George Routledge, special representative of the celebrated Stephens' inks, who is visitso the concurrent stephens' thiss, who is visit-ing South America in the interests of that important manufacturing establishment. The popularity of Stephens' inks has led to many counterfeits, and it is Mr. Routledge's special business to ferret them out and put a stop to the fraud.

-Forty cliests of adulterated tea which had been condemned by Inspector Tooliey have been burned in a large furnace in the basebeen burned in a large littinge in the base-ment of the Appraisers' Building, in Sau Fran-cisca, the importer having failed to either ap-peal from the impactors' finding or export the stuff at his own expense, as required by the new law passed by Congress and approved on March 2, 1897. This is the first destruction of ten under the provisions of the new law.— N. Y. Shipping List, Aug. 21.

—Some time ago the municipal government of this city made a contract with Manoel Gomes de Oliveira for supplying butchers' shops with fresh beef at 500 reis a kilo. Recently, however, the municipal conneilaltered the contract so as to permit the contractor to the contracts so as to permit the contractor to adopt a sliding scale of prices varying, with fluctuations in exchange, from 300 reis to 1\$200. As this alteration is equivalent to a new contract, ande without previously calling for tenders, the prefect of the Federal District has very properly velocd the resolution of the council, which, as he says, would, if executed, give the contractor an odions monopoly and increase, for his benefit, the cost of an almost indispensable article of food.

COFFEE NOTES

—The Diario Popular of São Paulo is informed that the recent drouth caused considerable injury to the blossom on the coffee plantations in the western districts of that state.

—A Campinas (S. Paulo) telegram of the 23rd says that it had been raining there for two days. This means a welcome break in the drouth which was reported to be damaging the coffee plantations.

-We must not be expected to tell planters how they can get better prices for their coffec but we can give them other information equally but we can give time other innormation equally wallable. If they can induce the general state and municipal governments to make a reduction of too,∞∞,∞∞ in their nacless expenditure, the effect will be equivalent to a rise of several util ress per arroba in the price of the principal product of Brazil.

The following is a statement of the exportation of coffee from the state of Espirito Sante for the last 6½ years:

1891	18.547,837 kilos	
1892	16,665,961 n	
1893	21,763,169 «	
1894	23,217,161 «	
1895	24,630,683 »	
1896	25,153,751 0	
1897 (half-year)	14,314,594 »	

-The Diario, of S. Carlos do Pinhal, São Paulo, says that with the prices of coffee at \$3 and 95 per ten kilos, the crop deficient, wages the same as when coffee brought 25\$ the wages the same as when content brought 255 the arroba, and a prospect of a crop failure for the coming year, the outlook for the coffee planter is not at all encouraging. Many planters are prophesying absolute ruin because the 1868 crop will be a failure. This picture is evidently too souther; the coffee planter is not in so bad a condition.

-Judge Addison Brown, in the United States district court, yesterday handed down an opiniou in the libel filed by Julius Steinwender and others, Elmenhorst and others and Crossman and others — cousolidated libels —against the steamship Mexican Prince, and —against the steamship Mexican Prince, and John C. Seager to recover \$3,6,500 for damages to 965 bags of coffee shipped at Rio de Janeiro for New York. The damage had been caused by water from one of the steamship's tasks, it was claimed through neglect of proper attention to one of the valves. Judge Brown said he was of opinion that the damage was covered by the exemptions of the third section of the Harter Act, and he therefore dismissed the libels with costs.—N. Y. Journal of Commerce, August 25.

FINANCIAL NOTES

-The police at Campinas, São Paulo, are now trying to check the issue of vales in that city which circulate as fractional currency.

The caira da amortização is about to begin substituting the outstanding issues of banknotes with new notes of the treasury. The first substitutions will be those of the 500\$, 200\$ and 100\$ notes.

-A bill has been presented to the Ceará state assembly authorizing the state government to loan eight hundred contos to some bank, which shall in turn loan it out to needy industries for long periods and at a low rate of interest.

-If congress could see and appreciate the distrust abroad in regard to Brazilian financcs, perhaps it would then be possible to decide upon some measure of real economy. The fact is, Brazil is spending much more than her income, and the investor knows it.

-The Junta administrativa of the redesiption bureau has resolved to extend to July 1898 tion burean has resolved to extend to July 1856 the time for the gratuitous exchange of out-standing banknotes. Why not facilitate this exchange by instructing all public departments to retain all such notes and send them in for redemption?

-The governor of the state of Espirito Santo in his last message recognizes the existence of a «terrible general crisis,» which, he says, is producing financial difficulties ne says, is producing financial difficulties throughout the whole country. As we stated last year, when we had occasion to refer to some of the effects of this crisis, it is inseless to attempt to conceal it. And this row seems to be the general opinion, even among those who at that time assailed us for telling the trath.

-The revenue of the state of Espirito Santo for 1896 had been estimated at 4,092,174\$, but the amount actually collected was only 3,875. 021\$491. The expenditure amounted to 5,-124,691\$197, the deficit, consequently, being 1,249,669\$706. During the first half of the 1,219,669,706. During the first half of the present year the receipts amounted to 1,612,030,6141 and the disbursements to 1,103,704,016. This, however, does not embrace the whole of the revenue and expenditure for the half year, since full returns of the former had not been received when the statement was made, and there were still accounts to be paid, including interest on the foreign debt, to the amount of 480,0003.

-The budget bill now under discussion in the state assembly of Minas Geraes estimates the receipts for 1898 at 19,532,660\$ and fixes the expenditures at 19,529,379\$250. Of the receipts, 15,000,000\$ are to be from export duccipts, 15,000,000 are to be from export du-ties, 1,350,000 from the a consumption tax a levi-d on imports, and 1,180,000 from stump taxes. Among the principal expenditures are: state police 3,044,9635, courts of instice 1,610,0005, primary instruction 2,100,000, in-terest and amortization of the funded debt 4,212,32755,0 public works 800,0005, ctc. The important tiem of subventions and interest guarantees is omitted, but the governor is authorized to satisfy such obligations by means of loans.

-Correcting figures published in the Puiz a writer in the Gazela de Notichis says that the government of Marshal Floriano Peixoto had at its disposal resources amounting to 1,030,000,000\$. It completely exhausted those resources and moreover left to its successor resources and moreover left to its successor liabilities amounting to too,oco,oco. Thus, according to the writer's figures, in three years that disastrons administration synam-dered 1,130,000,000s, leaving the country in such an exhausted condition that the financial situation, as was to be expected, has steadily grown worse. And there can be no cause to hope for improvement mutil confidence is restored and the people become convinced that there is no longer any danger of a return to the political and financial nanrehy which characterized the administration of Marshal Floriano Peixoto.

- On the 23rd inst., Deputy Serzedello — On the 23rd inst., Deputy Serzedello presented a bill designed to improve the financial situation. The bill authorizes a 5 per cent. guarantee on the £5.000,000 which the government asks for the Central railway, and also an increase in the freight rates. It provides for the conversion of the 4 per cent. gold Authorities for the conversion of the 4 per cent. apolices into 5 per cent currency, on a two months notice. For the redemption of paper months notice. For the redemption of paper money, it sets apart (2.500,000) from the sum received for the Central railway, a to per cent, additional tax on all imposts for ten years, the revenue from the apolices received from the Europe and Europe applications, the redemption of two great annual lotteries. After exchange has risen to zool, the government will withdraw all notes under ros, substituting silver. After it has reached 18h., one third the import daties will be collected in gold. The forced legal tender of treasury notes will ease on January 1, 197, after which the convertible into gold.

—The last report of the secretary of finance of the state of Minas Geraes shows that the revenue of the state for 1895 amounted to revenue of the state for 1895 amounted to 20,456,009\$366. The ordinary expenditure amounted to 14,313,47\$459 and the extraordinary to 13,755,843\$488, making a total of 28,065,399\$47. The incomplete returns for 1896 contained in the report show receipts to the amount of 19,419,372\$551 and disbursements on account of ordinary expenditure amounting to 15,797,744\$998.

-The Paiz has published figures intended to show that, although President Prudente de Moraes during three years of his administration has had at his disposal resource amounting tion his had at his disposal resources amounting to 1,326,399,000\$, while those at Marshal Floriano Peixoto's disposal, in a similar period, amounted to only 871,905,508\$, yet under the former's wasteful administration the financial situation, instead of improving, has constantly grown worse. The statement may be true, grown worse. The statement may be true, but, when made without explanation, it is manifestly mijust to the present lead of the government, who when he took office found a situation constantly growing worse under the influence of deleterions factors created during the administration of his predecessor. Surrounded by the latter's followers, with whom for reasons best known to himself he chose to contemporise and by whom his most patriotic resolutions were invariably thwarted, he was, of course, unable to adopt a sound and consistent financial policy. He has now, however, broken definitely, it seems, with his pernicious allies and, if he finds in the country sufficient patriotism to give him the requisite support, he will, we venture to hope, take steps for overcoming the financial difficulties for which he apparently has no responsibility beyond that of having been hitherto powerless to check their growth.

A STRIKING COMPARISON.

The fornal do Commercio of the 24th inst. publishes the following striking comparison between the expenses on the personnel of the various public departments in 1890 and 1897. The figures cover salaries, gratifications, uniforms and rations of officials, employés, sol-diers and laborers, for whom provisions are made in the annual budgets. A great part of the increased cost is of course counterbalanced by the depreciation of the currency. by the depresentation table is as follows:

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The above, of course, contains only the amounts asked for in the annual budgets, and does not include deficiency and special appro-priations, which in the war department would considerably swell the total. For some inexplicable reason the important department of industry, communications and public works is not included in the table. This department, which employs many men and spends large sums of money, would undoubtedly increase the gap between the two years.

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	MARKET REPORT.	
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Exports,

Caffee,—Darling the early part of the week there was quiet, and experters seem determined to break alown process, but with only indifferent success, owing in the weak tendency of the exchange. The sales for the weak were about 75,000 bags. On the 20th the labourers that carry coffee from the waspand care to the wharf strack for hight, but no shipments were realized for two days, which were however very wel, and on the 23rd the issual movement was recommenced. Naturally this disturbance has again called to the Government to have the matter modified or corrected. Unfortunalely the present wharf possess some form of contract that gives it the monopoly of the shipment of coffee, and some hesetation on the part of the authorities to incur a claim for damages must be expected. The receipts show a slight decrease here, and a marked difference in Santon, where there was an interuption of traffic on the 21st, and the reasonably expected. Rumors of damage by drouth in S. Punlot to the approaching crop are not, so for as we can learn, generally believed, and it certainly is very early to formulate estimates of the uext crop, when the blossom is hardly more than now appearing shipments centime fere both in Rio and Santos, and serve to reep dealers steady, while any increase of demand mariably leads to higher prices.

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4.87% in River Plate, etc.

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Rice, "The Ingless of brought 28 Se Bages from Rangoon, and we hear or no changes in last retail monations of 1500 — 1500 per bag for Indian and 2500—
2500 for native rice.

Park—Receptist nil., American is unchanged at
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1840 - 1880, but native is lower at 800-1850, per kilog sume. Pitro Pine, -The Lancefeld brought 830,80 feet from Modie Brokers quote at 85500 per doz. and the market is considered steady.

White Pine, -The receipts are 85,214 feet per Ance from New York No chance is made in the quotation of a gr-sper foot, and the market is steady.

Swedish Pine, -Receipts have been 1,051 daz, per Tain red and 1.06 daz, per Meior, from Hermosand, quotations have been advanced to 94500-94500 per form the per Spans-Boo for white deals.

Spring Pine, -There is nothing to report.

Kernsmir-Receipts aid. American oil is rather lower at 4,500 open case, and local refined slightly higher at 45%.

Turpentine,-Last quotations of 1\$150-1\$200 per logramme may be continued, and there are no re-

enns.

Rosin—Receipts nil and no changes are reported i retuil quotanous, viz: 245000—255000 per bri. according to quality

ing to quality.

Cement—The N-rad Inought 4-20 help from Hamburg. We continue last quotations of afgood-account of the form of the first of the firs

per bag, and no foreign has nrived.

##By.—The Battherg brought one bales from Buenos Arres, and retail prices an e-metally at 125–150 rs. per kilogramme.

Coal.—Receipts since our last report are nil.

##Buth.—The coastwise receipts are not pipes. The market has declined sharply, and is still considered weak at the following quotations:

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Rahna and Aracajd. 170 000—185 000

Campos Partaly 225 033—215 000

Amera and Paraty 225 033—215 000

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SHIPPING NEWS.

ARRIVALS OF FOREIGN VESSELS. SEPTEMBER Z

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HENOSAND—NOT bl. Timered: 447 Juns; Bjorlow; 77
ds. pine to Ohr. Hecksher & Co.

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HENOSAND—Nor bl. Mateer; 433 Juns; Olsen; 81 ds.
pine to ohr Hecksher & Co. RANGOON-Br lik Inglineood; 907 tons; Taylor; 135 ds; nee to Francisc Lopes Ferraz.

BATTIMORE—Ane: bk Amy, 665 tons, Vaughan; 31 ds; sundries to Levering & Co. LETTIMER ship Grove, 228 tons, Hawken; 55 ds; coal to Gas Co.

DEPARTURES OF FOREIGN VESSELS.

SEPTEMBER 21

NEW ORLEANS—Port bk Agnes, 614 tons; Soares; bal-

M FTA BUBNA--Ger ship Strine; 1736 tons; Behring,

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NEW YORK—Not bk Figure, 985 tons; Nilsen ballast.

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NETTHE ABETH—Not bk La Plata; 493 tons; Jorgensen; collec.

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VACAGOUTA—Not bk Carl Publ; 672 tons; Nordbo; ballast.

ASINE PASS-Duich bk. Nil Desperandum; 1164 tons; Mulder; do.

BARHADOS-Hal bk Giulio e Clemenza; 355 tons; As-santi; do.

Br bk N. B. Morris; 700 tons; Porter; do.

TALTAL—Br ship Scottish Hills; 2004 tons; Blackmore;

IQUIQUE-Br bk Pilcourn Island; 1330 lons; Cornwell; SEPT. 26
MOBILE—Nor ship Premier; 1173 tons; Osmundsen: ballast,

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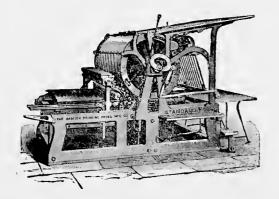
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